

### PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF MAYOR AND CITY ALDERMEN FOR JULY

State of Mississippi, Hancock County, City of Bay St. Louis.	
A regular meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis was held at the City Hall on Saturday, July 7th, 1923, at 2 o'clock p. m.	
There were present Mayor R. W. Webb, Aldermen John Buchler, H. deS. Gillum, L. C. Carver, City Marshal Albert Jones, Secretary S. J. Lader. Absent: W. C. Sick, Alderman.	
The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.	
The reports of various city officers were read and approved. The financial report was ordered spread upon the minutes, the others filed.	
Statement:	
STATEMENT FOR MAY, 1923, CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MERCHANTS BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, CITY DEPOSITORY.	
BOND FUND.	
Balance on hand last report	\$ 216.64
6-29, Interest 2nd quarter, 1923	1.62
	\$ 218.26
Credits—	
7-5, Balance	218.26
CITY FUND.	
Balance on hand last report	\$12,488.61
7-5, Rec'd R. W. Webb, R. W. 1427, fines	26.50
7-5, Rec'd W. H. McDaniels, R. W. 1428, acct. road tax	128.00
7-5, Rec'd Albert Jones, R. W. 1429, acct. licenses	397.34
7-5, Rec'd Tom Adam, R. W. 1426, acct. meat insp. fees	34.95
Interest 2nd quarter, 1923	72.99
	\$13,098.39
Credits—	
By warrants to Board as per list	2,112.70
Balance	10,985.69
	\$13,098.39
COLORED SCHOOL FUND.	
Balance on hand last report	\$ 362.26
6-29, Interest 2nd quarter, 1923	2.71
	\$ 364.97
Credits—	
Balance	364.97
MUNICIPAL IMP. FUND.	
Balance on hand last report	\$46,601.09
6-29, Interest 2nd quarter, 1923	370.21
	\$46,971.30
Credits—	
By warrants to Board as per list	8,989.65
Balance	37,981.65
	\$46,971.30
SCHOOL FUND.	
Balance on hand last report	\$ 684.89
6-8, Rec'd Merchants Bank, R. W. 1424, money borrowed	1,000.00
6-29, Interest 2nd quarter, 1923	6.99
	\$ 1,691.88
Credits—	
By warrants to Board as per list	1,552.80
Balance	139.08
	\$ 1,691.88
SCHOOL BUILDING.	
Balance on hand last report	\$ 828.81
6-29, Interest 2nd quarter, 1923	5.99
	\$ 834.80
Credits—	
By warrants to Board as per list	157.35
Balance	677.45
	\$ 834.80
SINKING BOND FUND.	
Balance on hand last report	\$15,090.13
6-29, Interest 2nd quarter, 1923	111.32
	\$15,201.45
Credits—	
By warrants to Board as per list	9,470.00
Balance	5,731.45
	\$15,201.45
STREET FUND.	
Balance on hand last report	\$ 163.92
6-29, Interest 2nd quarter, 1923	1.22
	\$ 165.14
Credits—	
Balance	165.14
WATERWORKS FUND.	
Balance on hand last report	\$ 2,273.62
7-5, Rec'd Chas. Sanger, R. W. 1430, water rent due City	122.03
6-8, Rec'd Chas. Sanger, R. W. 1423, water rent due City	195.93
6-8, Rec'd Merchants Bank, R. W. 1425, money borrowed	500.00
6-29, Interest 2nd quarter, 1923	17.84
	\$ 3,109.42
Credits—	
By warrants to Board as per list	2,700.00
Balance	409.42
	\$ 3,109.42

### WAVELAND HAS MODERN WIRELESS STATION.

The amateur Radio station with government call letters "5 N. J.", which is owned and operated by Mr. George Steele at his villa on the Beach Drive, has just been completed and put into actual operation.

This station, although it does not employ a great deal of power for its transmitting apparatus, has probably one of the finest Radio installations in this part of the country. The transmitting apparatus consists of a 20 watt vacuum tube transmitter, equipped for telephone communication and also for straight "C. W." (telegraph signals) and has already covered a distance of 1,200 miles air line from Waveland, which is considered exceptionally good for this time of the year.

This station employs a 1/2 K. W. spark transmitter, which has a range of 1,000 miles under good conditions. The receiving apparatus consists of a Westinghouse "R. C." single circuit tuner, a "C. R. 8" Grebe three circuit tuner, and a Rhinhardt tuner, all of which use audio amplification.

The antennae (or ariel) system consists of two towers made with galvanized pipe joined together and set in concrete foundations; the towers are 96 feet high and are 100 feet apart, and to insure rigidity have 3,100 feet of guy wires; these guy wires are insulated every twenty feet so that there will be no harmonics (false waves) radiated from these.

The ground system consists of zinc plates buried in the ground in a circle. These plates are 24 inches wide. There is also a counterpoise system which consists of fourteen wires 100 feet long directly under the antenna, twelve feet from the ground.

The entire antenna system was constructed by P. J. Boudin, contractor of Bay St. Louis, and is a monument to his efficient workmanship.

The installation has been inspected by several Radio experts who acclaim it one of the finest and most efficient they have seen.

Mr. Steele states that should this section of the country be again visited by a severe storm that would isolate Waveland and Bay St. Louis by rendering the telegraph and telephone helpless, he would take pleasure in placing his powerful station at the disposal of the people and re-establish communication with the outside world. Residents of this section who have experienced the effects of isolation readily appreciate what it really means to have such a boon at hand.

The Echo congratulates Mr. Steele on his acquisition of this fine plant, as well as his utterance of public spiritedness, and voices the sentiment of the public's pride in having such an installation in our sister city.

### BARN DANCE.

On Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. H. LaRose entertained at a jolly barn dance at their home in honor of Misses Adele Wagner and Florence Landry, of New Orleans. Games were played and refreshments were served and dancing was indulged in until midnight. The following young ladies and gentlemen were present: Mr. and Mrs. Flick, Mrs. Bernet of Laquenne, Mrs. Calhoun, Miss Mahecca of Hammond, Misses Adele Wagner, Florence Landry, Anna May Blaize, Kathryn Renshaw, Marion Saucier, Louise Livaudais, Emeline Frederic, Lillian Bordelon, Lucille Livaudais, Virginia Chapman, Vivian and Margery Blaize, Ruth Perkins, Evelyn Boh, Beatrice Smith, Helen Mahecca, Gertrude Calhoun, Forest Flick, Margaret LaRose and Henry Calhoun; Messrs. James and Henry LaRose, Chas. Leydecker, Lauren Por, Teddy and Henry Stechmann, Marchmont, Schwartz, Fred Menou, Worthing Calhoun, Albert Pierce, O. Flick, Jr., Billie Calhoun, Harry Glover, Eugene Blaize, Clay Calhoun, Francis Boh, E. J. Lacoste and G. Y. Blaize.

### PICNIC AT AARON ACADEMY.

There will be a big basket picnic at Aaron Academy on Saturday, July 21. The Woodmen of the World, Nicholson Camp, will entertain at the school house, and a good time is promised everybody, as a cordial invitation to the general public has been issued. Public speaking will be a feature of the day, and candidates are invited to attend and express themselves before the throng.

### SOME FACTS ABOUT THE NEW WATERWORKS.

Chances of Reduced Insurance Rates. Superintending Gallup Cums Up Situation.

It appears that, to a vast majority of residents of this city, the new waterworks are amounting to nothing. That is because they are laboring under the impression that as soon as the water was turned on everything would be in perfect running order; whereas, what has been done was merely to test the works, capacity of pipes, etc.

The thorough completion of the project is NOT at hand, and will not be so until everything meets with the approval of the engineers in charge.

Mr. Potter, representing the Home Insurance Company, after a thorough inspection of the waterworks system, as obtained at present, remarked that he had traveled all over the United States in behalf of his company, and had seen many hundreds of plants, but could truthfully state that no plant of its size was better equipped than this at Bay St. Louis, and it was his sincere belief that our new system would reduce the insurance rates at least 33 per cent.

Mr. Potter was very enthusiastic over the prospects of this city, and saw no reason why the insurance companies should not regard us as very good "risks" at an early date. "And when that time comes," said Mr. Potter, "the progress of your city will be by leaps and bounds."

In reviewing the present situation, Superintendent Gallup said to a representative of The Echo: "We have as fine a plant here as any one could desire, taking in consideration the many things we have to combat before any clear sailing, we are progressing very nicely."

"There are a few things that I would like to say in regard to the present situation, that, I believe, would enlighten some people who appear to labor under a wrong impression; it is through by some that the pipes that convey the water to the reservoir are the same that are used for distribution; that is, of course, impossible. The supply pipes all lead from the various wells to the reservoir, where the water flows under well pressure. From the reservoir it is pumped up into the tank 125 feet above, giving a natural pressure of 70 pounds. The tank has a capacity of 75,000 gallons. The distribution pipes lead from this tank only, and have positively no connection with the intake."

"Recently we attempted a certain pressure to determine what the pipes would stand; this pressure was only 22 pounds (some estimated it at 35). The consequence was some old pipe that was allowed to remain gave way under the strain. It has been determined now that all old pipe must be replaced with new before success can be achieved and water given at higher levels."

"Among the wells tested, that on Carroll avenue showed a pressure of 20 pounds, whereas the Sanger well in Citizen street, had but 7 pounds. The former is near the plant and of great service, but the latter is acting more as a detriment; for, connecting at Second street to the Carroll avenue line, the 7 pounds pressure comes in contact with the 20 pounds and not only renders no service, but really retards the higher flow. It has, therefore, been deemed necessary to cut out the Sanger well entirely and replace it with a new well to be driven at the waterworks station."

"By condemning this 7 pounds well, which is situated over 5,000 feet away from its objective, all that piping will be dispensed with; very much of it is old and would not pay to take up; in fact, it would cost more to recede it than that pipe would be worth. Also, it would relieve the Carroll avenue well, and allow the full force to 'be m. in reservoir, instead of, as it is now, being diverted in another direction."

"We learn that the proposed new well will be of six-inch pipe and to the 1000-foot level; this pressure under the impression that such well will give a pressure of over 30 pounds and a flow of some 500 gallons the minute."

"We are very optimistic and believe that Bay St. Louis will soon enjoy many blessings from a first class system where the old 'Fire' shall lose some of its terrors."

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### COLUMN de BULL.

By FULLER BULL, of Bay St. Louis.

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Mister Micky McGuire, 411-14 Bowery, New York.

Mick, me old side-kick: Y'd oughta been on tap, lad, last Sab an' jumped the great happenings what transpired over to the D. Ave. park when the first dazle of a double header was pulled off for a lucky seven spasms by the Dixie Dolls as versus the Cedar-Pl. Marcel-waves.

Bo, what them nifty dolls did to the lil' waves was a plenty, they stems the tide an' made stagnant pools outta the flood.

When we parks up to the stand (stand it is, bo), the first thing that we lamps is the Dixie-Doll twirler over in the box, an' we're ready to risk our meal ticket that them birds imported the Jane from somewhere over in Mex, greaser land about Veracruz or some other Cruz; cause, lad, that gal was dolled up in the reg-ulation Sombrero, she had a wicked ed ar, so dern wicked that it wasn't long before the outfields saw they wasn't gettin' no chances for fame an' they all move in from the gardens an' back up the infield till it looks like a lineup for a football war.

Micky, boy, they was no more chance for them Waves than a jelly-fish has in a 'ggin' gold, an' the sad lil' whitecaps was eased down to the tune of 17 to 2.

We got her that the Mex. was christened Barbroos Barbara, an' along with her shootin' arm she toted a wicked eye what helped hypho them batters, which was a combination to bet on at odds-on cash.

The Codes Pointers signs up a He-Wave to do the tossin', but them Dolls got onta his curves an' slammed him for a row of butterfanes an' putta crimp in his hope for big league promotion.

All the time them fillies was fut-terin' on the foul lines them Bulls an' Bears was hookin' the bush an' fish has in a 'ggin' gold, an' the sad lil' whitecaps was eased down to the tune of 17 to 2.

Soon them Waves was crimped, Kid Conrad starts the big game, he gets his artillery in action an' lets 'em down 1, 2, 3, in the first pitchin' like Walt Johnson with Scappery J. on the receivein' end.

Shinin' Gladiators takes the mound with a Ecological Laboratory freerin' onta the Mask an' Mitt behind the plate. They say Jan, is some boy at coverin' the plate, at home as well as the park, an' even if he is a cold proposition, as some guy remarked, he stuck to the job.

Mitre-Box figured the indicator as per usual with Duff-in-the-Lions Den showin' the pencil Gasoline Claude didn't crave no more excitement, so his place goes to Triple Shift Tom, who took Short an' shot 'em down to first like them Howitzers in practice, an' Micky, I wanta tell you that when it comes to stunts, that lads got them circus boys backed off'n the board.

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RESOURCES OVER ONE MILLION FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS.

NO ACCOUNT TOO SMALL TO SERVE.

As the farmer prospers, the community grows. Just as the prosperity of the nation is dependent upon the financial condition of its farms and agricultural interests, so is the prosperity of each county and community determined by the success of its farmers.

The HANCOCK COUNTY BANK realizes this fact and the management has for several years past encouraged and helped in the important work by improving the agricultural conditions served by it.

Our services are always readily extended to the farmer in every way he may wish to use them consistent with sound banking.

We want the farmers of this territory to make the HANCOCK COUNTY BANK their financial home and let us serve them, and in a spirit of kindness, courtesy, sympathy and genuine sincerity.

FOUR PER CENT PAID ON SAVINGS AND TIME DEPOSITS.

YOUR BUSINESS WILL BE APPRECIATED.

## Hancock County Bank

## GIANT SHOE SALE

### The Boston Shoe Store

ONCE MORE IS OFFERING  
A RECORD-BREAKING REDUCTION  
To the People of Bay St. Louis and Surrounding Country.

We doubt if you ever have seen such really desirable Bargains as these at such low price. One thousand pairs of Women's Strap Pumps, Plain Pumps and Oxfords of all leathers, ordinarily sold at \$7.00 to \$10.00. We have them on this Sale for \$2.98.

To convince yourself of this Bargain, see our Display Window No. 2.

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THE SEA COAST ECHO.  
C. G. Moreau, Editor and Publisher.  
Official Journal of The Board of  
Supervisors, Hancock County, Miss.  
Official Journal of Board of Mayor  
and Aldermen City of Bay St. Louis

#### TAKING A VACATION.

Now and then the average man's nerves get all out of alignment, appetite becomes poor, a tired, worn-out feeling creeps over him and he tells his troubles to the family doctor. Nine times out of ten, in addition to the medicine he receives, he hears the doctor say: "What you need is a change."

And the doctor is right, for after all the human body is only a machine. We have to oil up an auto every few hundred miles and freshen up the batteries with a new supply of water. So with the human body, we have to rest it up every now and then; put in a new kind of atmosphere and give the eyes and nerves a change of scenery, if we hope to make it wear and function as it should. The resident of the farm or the smaller town can secure that needed change by a little visit to a nearby city. The city man can get it by going to the farm. The treatment acts the same in both cases. One rests while enjoying sights that are strange to the eye, or even by halting a while to watch some other fellow work.

Vacations are expensive only when we figure them from a dollar and cent standpoint. If we had any means of knowing how a rest of even a week each year would reduce doctor bills and add a few days to our life, we would count that vacation the cheapest thing in the world. So, no matter how important you may feel your work to be, just remember that the old world would get along somehow if you were called away from it altogether. Just realize that a week away from it won't throw everything out of gear, and that that one week of rest may be the means of keeping you fit for business longer than you can hope to be if you keep right on without a little rest—without the "change" that the doctor says is better than medicine.

#### THEY NEVER SLEEP.

With the warm months merchants in practically every town the size of Bay St. Louis begin to nurse a severe case of tireditis—that's a new name for it, but a good one—and they seem to be content to drag along with whatever business that comes their way. They apparently do not realize that they are throwing the gate wide open to the mail-order catalogue man, and that he hits some of his hardest blows while the weather is hottest. It is now that he is sending forth his fall and winter harvest. He knows that the home-town merchant is apt to let down on his advertising a little during the summer months—and he capitalizes on that fact. He is making hay, so to speak, while the sun is shining hottest. And when the home-town merchant cools off and starts in with renewed energy in the fall it is to find his territory already plastered with mail-order catalogues and many of his old customers already catalogue buyers. The mail-order man never sleeps on the job. And he is honest enough to tell the world that his richest field is in communities where merchants let up on their advertising during the summer months. Think it over.

#### SAFETY IN THUNDER STORMS.

Danger in a thunder storm is never as great as most people imagine, although of course there is always a hazard. A person is safer from lightning in some places than in others. The towering steel buildings in the cities, for instance, are practically lightning proof so far as its occupants are concerned. The current follows the steel framework of the building and those within it are never aware of it. It is safer in a house during a thunder storm than to be out in the open. In the open one should avoid high ground, and especially isolated trees and the edges of woods on the side from which the storm is approaching. Low trees well within a woods, but not close to any exceptionally tall trees, are much less dangerous than trees in the open. Caves or ground caverns of any sort are comparatively safe. When lightning is very severe even sitting or lying in a ditch, however uncomfortable that may be, is recommended. Above all, avoid the hill crest, the wire fence, and the isolated tree.

#### LESS GOVERNMENT, LESS TAXES.

Defenders of soaring tax rates usually attempt to justify their position by contending that the government is rendering a greater service and taxpayers should therefore be willing to pay for it.

In many instances these extra services are unnecessary, or not worth the cost and some are positively injurious to the taxpayer.

As long as the government undertakes to regulate minutely the lives of individuals and the conduct of every business, great and small, the tax burden will be exorbitant, says the London Post.

#### THIS FOR THE BOYS.

Here are a few words for the boys. If yours doesn't read them, then do him the kindness to read them to him.

You boys are going to get a lot of hard bumps in the next few years. They'll seem harder to you than they really are, and the reason that they will seem harder is that your parents up to now have been taking these bumps for you—sheltering you against them. This has happened in all past generations; is happening now, and in the next generation, when you are a parent, you'll be taking the bumps for your children.

As time rolls on you'll become hardened to knocks. It is just like going barefoot—at first the gravel and twigs hurt the tender feet, but you soon get used to it, and by the time summer is over you can walk on the roughest road without feeling any pain. So don't get discouraged. Keep in mind the fact that as it takes hard work to develop your muscle, it also takes quite a lot of rough treatment to "bring you out," to develop your courage and your resources, to enable you to handle power wisely and to know what responsibility really means.

Many of the greatest heart-aches in life come in the tender years when we first strike out for ourselves. Later on you'll realize that the heart-aches were mountains made out of mole-hills. So keep your courage; don't allow anything to dishearten you; take the advice of your parents when it is given to you—and you'll come out all right.

#### IT HELPS EVERYBODY.

Agreements to pay are one thing. Actual payments, as Americans have found, are quite another thing, especially in the matter of international debts. It is pleasing, therefore, to find that the biggest foreign debt owed to this country is in actual process of payment. Great Britain the other day sent our Secretary of the Treasury \$70,000,000, an installment on the debt she owes us. And she didn't send it in gold—of which the United States now has a surplus—but in Victory bonds which she bought on the open market. And the best part of it is that when she bought those bonds she did something to help every Bay St. Louis man who owns any of the same kind of bonds, for she did much to stabilize the price of them and helped to put them nearer to par. Thus we see that even in the payment of international debts things so work around as to help us right here at home.

#### THE PROBLEM OF THE STEEL INDUSTRY.

The recent report of the Iron and Steel Institute Committee, which favored retaining the twelve-hour day as a necessity to successful steel production, gave the American public a mental shock because few people aside from those associated with steel production realized that any industry is now operating on a twelve-hour basis.

The steel industry is so vital to prosperity in the United States that no sane person would advocate revolutionary changes without due deliberation of problems involved.

America's foremost industrial leaders, however, have expressed themselves very emphatically to the effect that greatest production has been secured by the adoption of a more reasonable length of working day. It would seem, therefore, that the iron and steel industry must heed the modern trend of sentiment on this question.

#### RADIO PRIVACY NOW POSSIBLE.

Conversation over the radio telephone has now reached the stage of "privacy."

By means of a scrambling process in transmission and an unscrambling process in reception, the spoken word over the electro magnetic wave is kept free from outside listeners in.

Success has crowned the efforts of engineers of the Bell telephone system in perfecting such apparatus, giving to radio phone science a full degree of commercial activity. The use of radio for phone messages has long been considered unfeasible, due to the lack of privacy. The new system connects Catalina Islands, off Southern California, not only with the mainland at Los Angeles, but the wireless voice also can be switched into the elaborate main trunk lines of the Bell system and conveyed overland to any point in the United States.

David Sarnoff, general manager of the Radio Corporation of America, says: "All world progress rests upon interchange of intelligence. With the growth and spread of radio, even into isolated communities, humanitarian, educational and social possibilities come into view hitherto envisioned through no other agency."

#### UTILITIES MUST GET CAPITAL.

In discussing the question of a fair rate of return on public utility properties, J. S. McCulloch, vice president of the New York Telephone Company, says:

"It is in the public interest that public utility properties should be fairly valued and the rate of return sufficient to enable them to attract capital which would otherwise seek other lines of investment."

"Telephone and electric companies must meet unprecedented demands, requiring investment of hundreds of millions of new capital annually."

"In the effort to supply farming sections great problems are facing the public utility companies. The equipment and service to supply the public needs."

## JULY PROCEEDINGS BOARD SUPERVISORS OF HANCOCK COUNTY

(Continued from Page One.)

county owns lots 116 and 117, Sq. R. Town of Gainesville, and desires to sell same, and whereas F. C. Bordages has offered the Board the sum of \$15.00 for said land, and the Board believing this a good price for said property;

Be it ordered that H. S. Weston, President of this Board, sign a quit claim deed to F. C. Bordages, Sr., for said land, on his paying said money, and that he sign said deed as the act of said county.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Gentlemen:

We, your committee appointed to view and examine ditch at Moran Branch, beg leave to report that we have examined same and we find that work has been done according to plans and specifications on file and further recommend that the work be paid for.

JOSEPH L. FAYRE,  
W. E. THIGPEN.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of July, A. D. 1923.

H. S. WESTON,  
President Board of Supervisors.  
Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the General County Fund, as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Bay Ice, Light and Bot. Wks., ice	\$ 6.00
Joseph O. Mauffray, mdse.	3.25
New Orleans Tent and Awning Co., awnings	45.00
Bay Ice, Light and Bot. Wks., lights	15.30
Beach Drug Store, insecticide, mdse, etc., stationery	18.35

Ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Wednesday at 9 a. m.

H. S. WESTON, President.

Thursday morning, Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as on yesterday.

The Board of Supervisors having examined the rolls filed by F. C. Bordages, Sr., the assessor of said county, of assessments as of the first day of February, 1923, of real and personal property in said county, and having made such changes and corrections in said rolls as were found necessary to fix the assessments of real and personal property to its owners and at its actual value so as to establish an equality and uniformity of taxation among the tax payers of said county, according to the value of their property, does hereby approve the said assessment rolls as so fixed. And it is further ordered that the following notice be posted in the Court House, and be published in The Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper published at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and having a circulation in said county, to-wit:

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.  
To the Tax Payers of Hancock County, State of Mississippi:  
You will please take notice that the assessments of real and personal property on the rolls for 1923 have been changed and corrected by the Board as to comply with the laws of this State, and that said revised rolls are now open for examination and that any objection to any assessment made in writing and filed with the Clerk of this Board on or before the first Monday of August, 1923, at his office in the City of Bay St. Louis, said county (that State, and that any or all assessments to which no objection is then and there made will be final.

By A. A. KERGOSEN,  
Clerk of the Board.  
Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the General County Fund, as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Co., phone bill	\$5.05
Ordered by the Board that the petition of the Town of Waveland be ordered filed and held over until August meeting, 1923, at his office in the City of Bay St. Louis, said county (that State, and that any or all assessments to which no objection is then and there made will be final.	

H. S. Weston, attendance, 9 days	45.00
Jos. L. Fayre, attendance, 10 days	50.00
W. E. Thigpen, attendance, 9 days	45.00
Calvin Shaw, attendance, 9 days	45.00
Jos. F. Moran, attendance, 9 days	45.00
A. A. Kergosen, attendance, (Clerk of B. S.), 10 days	30.00
Gulf Coast Progress, pub. notices of completion of ass. rolls	2.22

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the Road and Bridge Fund, as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

H. S. Weston, 1 day, insp. roads	5.00
Jos. L. Fayre, 1 day, insp. roads	5.00
W. E. Thigpen, 1 day, insp. roads	5.00
Calvin Shaw, 3 days, insp. roads	15.00
Jos. F. Moran, 3 days, insp. roads	15.00

Ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn in course of business.

H. S. WESTON, President.

#### HOME BUILDING SAFEGUARDS AMERICA.

With the lumber in the local market an easy 30 per cent less than it was three years ago, there is no good reason why those who have been contemplating building should not now go ahead. Every man who becomes a home owner automatically becomes a good citizen. With each added home, the safety of the republic is promoted. Let the good work go on—Argus Leader, Sioux Falls, S. D.

May consumption by American mills amounted to 620,965 tons, compared with 495,387 tons for May of last year. The consumption of the ten months ending May 31 this year amounted to 5,669,939 tons, as compared with 4,942,600 tons for the same period last year. Reports indicated active trading in the cotton goods market with brisk firm and higher.

#### BROADCASTINGS.

Russia reports a big wheat crop this year. She'll also produce a big crop of wild cats.

Some families hate to have company. Others like it, because as long as the company's around they're not fighting.

You can't blame the weather for being so bad. No matter what it does, somebody starts cussing.

A man has a charge account at a grocery and a gasoline station, but has enough money to settle only one bill. Guess who waits on his pay.

Every time some men look into a mirror they imagine they see a hero.

These are the days when the boss takes a vacation and then gets mad when he returns because things went better while he was away.

The best way to improve a lettuce sandwich is to take out the lettuce and insert some ham.

If you find a boy who persists in studying during school vacation, it's time to call in the doctor.

Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., has lots of money, and plans to start a newspaper. If he starts it he'll need lots of money.

In Europe they fight in the summer because the heat makes them that way and in the winter they fight to keep warm.

Now and then we hear a woman complain about her hard lot in life. And yet she never has to depend on a nail for a button.

It looks like the coming generation is going to have at least one big problem to solve, and that's how to get a meal without a can opener.

Henry Ford says he did not say that he would not be a candidate for president. He seems to be developing some of the qualifications of a politician.

Another thing we can't figure out is why a boy will dig fish worms in the boiling sun and call it fun and then want to tear the roof off of the house if he is told to hoe in the garden.

A runaway horse causes trouble that is soon over, but a runaway couple causes trouble that often lasts a life time.

Maybe some day our reformers will demand that they arrest lighting bugs because they don't keep their tail lights burning all the time.

Many a man can talk a judge into letting him off, but it's different when he's talking to his wife.

New York holds first place in both baseball leagues, but not in the Anti-Saloon League or the Epworth League.

#### SPECIAL MEETING BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, CITY BAY ST. LOUIS.

State of Mississippi, Hancock County, City of Bay St. Louis.

Pursuant to special call, a special meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis was held at the City Hall on Tuesday, July 10, 1923, at 8 o'clock p. m.

There were present: Mayor R. W. Webb, Aldermen John Buehler, H. de S. Gillum, L. C. Carver, Secretary S. J. Laddner. Absent: Alderman Sick and City Marshal Albert Jones.

To Aldermen:  
CALL FOR SPECIAL MEETING OF BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

State of Mississippi, County of Hancock.  
To W. C. Sick, John Buehler, H. de S. Gillum and L. C. Carver, Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis, Miss.

You are hereby notified that a special meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis is called to meet at the City Hall in said city, on the 10th day of July, A. D. 1923 (Tuesday), at 8 o'clock p. m. The object of said meeting is as follows: To pay estimates and all bills of the Waterworks.

R. W. WEBB, Mayor.  
The City Marshal will execute and return the above notice instantly.

Attest: S. J. LADNER, Clerk.  
Witness the above call at 10 o'clock on this 9th day of July, 1923.

ALBERT JONES,  
City Marshal.  
We, the undersigned Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis hereby acknowledge service of the above call personally at least three hours before the time of meeting and waive copy of the call.

WM. C. SICK,  
J. F. BUEHLER,  
H. de S. GILLUM,  
L. C. CARVER.

I have served notice on the above aldermen at least three hours before the time of meeting.

ALBERT JONES,  
City Marshal.

Mayor R. W. Webb appointed Alderman Carver chairman pro tempore of financial committee.

Moved by Alderman Carver, seconded by Alderman Gillum, and carried, that the estimate approved by the engineer of the Waterworks System be paid with exception of estimate of Samuel T. Giffels for cornerstone. Alderman Buehler voting no.

The following bills were allowed, approved and ordered paid out of the following funds:

WATERWORKS BOND FUND.  
S. A. GARNES, as per contract, \$4,156.14

National C. Iron Pipe Co., as per contract, 1,105.75

Chambers & Bowers, as per contract, 1,686.53

Southern Johnson Supply Co., as per contract, 1,240.40

Pittsburgh Des Moines Steel Co., as per contract, 1,375.00

There being no further business appearing on the agenda, the meeting adjourned.

S. J. LADNER, Secretary.

#### WITH THE WITS.

He Loved His Wife.  
The telephone bell rang with persistence. The doctor answered the call of a tired husband. "Yes?" he said. "Oh, doctor," said a worried voice, "something seems to have happened to my wife. Her mouth seems set and she can't say a word."

"Why, she may have lockedjaw," said the medical man.

"Do you think so? Well, if you are this way some time next week you might stay in and see what you can do for her." Mail.

"You know, Miss Spurdle, you look so charming tonight!"

"Oh, Mr. Buds, aren't you a flatterer?"

"No, but you really do. I didn't recognize you at first, at all."

And the fight was on.

Going Him One Better.  
"When I was in India," said the club bore, "I saw a tiger come down to the water where some women were washing clothes. It was a very fierce tiger, but one woman, with great presence of mind, splashed water in its face—and it slunk away."

"Gentlemen," said a man in an armchair, "I can tell you the truth of that. After the incident I was coming down to the water. I met this tiger, and, as is my habit, stroked its whiskers. Gentlemen, those whiskers were wet." Mail.

When the family wash was hung on the line the other day, nearly a dozen Pullman towels fluttered in the breeze.—Jerseyman.

Whew!

A Frenchman, boasting in company that he had thoroughly mastered the English language, was asked to write the following from dictation: "As Hugh Hughes was having a yule log from a yew, a man dressed in clothes of a dark hue came up to Hugh and said: 'Have you seen my ewes?' 'If you will wait until I hew this yew, I will go with you anywhere in Europe to look for your ewes,' said Hugh." Exchange.

"Who is the meanest man in the world?"

"The guy who proposes to an old maid over the telephone and after she accepts him tells her he has the wrong number."—Jerseyman.

"Some Plea."

The tramp, who had been arrested for stealing a watch, was up for trial. When the judge called the case, of course it was necessary to appoint a lawyer to defend the tramp, and it so happened that the judge appointed a young lawyer who had just graduated from law school. This being his first case, he was very anxious to get an acquittal. The young lawyer addressed the jury in defense of the tramp, painting a very pathetic picture of the hardships through which this man had been in. In fact, he argued the case with such convincing ardor that the spectators were in tears, the judge wept, and even the tramp cried.

At the close of the argument, the judge ordered the jury to retire and find the verdict. After about five minutes' deliberation, the jury returned with the verdict, "Not guilty." The tramp sprang to his feet with tears streaming down his face and addressed the young lawyer who had defended him: "Kind sir, that is the most wonderful plea I have ever heard. My only regret is that I have no money with me to pay you." But, feeling around in his tattered clothing, he said: "By gosh, I'll give you the watch!"—Omaha Office.

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WATCH YOUR TEETH  
By  
Mouth Hygiene Division  
Bureau of Child Welfare  
State Board of Health.  
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Temporary Teeth—When They Are Abscessed.

(By Rea Proctor McGee, D. D. S., M. D., Editor "Oral Hygiene.")

If you had a pet rattlesnake around the house it might not do you any harm, but of course you could not reach an agreement upon that subject with the limited brain power of the snake and so you would be taking a big chance that the armistice would be broken.

Your child could have one or even several abscessed temporary teeth with no apparent injury to his general health, but what assurance have you that the apparently harmless collection of pus is not poisoning the child?

When the abscess really strikes and becomes acute, then there is no question about the damage it does.

Then abscesses may not only cause rheumatism and heart inflammation, but the eyes and kidneys and any or all of the kidney's bodily structures may be attacked.

When a temporary tooth abscess burrows down the inside of the jaw and gets behind one of the protective walls of fibrous material that separates the layers of muscle in the neck, called the cervical fascia, a very serious infection develops which is frequently fatal.

In order to save the life of the child a very delicate operation must be performed, and that quickly. Don't take chances with abscesses of the temporary teeth. They are not only very dangerous, but the abscessed teeth cannot be used and the good teeth are not allowed to do their work because one tender spot in the mouth will interfere with chewing.

Of course, the best plan to avoid abscesses of the baby teeth is to take good care of children's teeth from the day they appear.

This is the easy method and it is also the safe, sure method. Therefore, it is the common sense method. Begin at the beginning. Later we may be too late.

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MOTHER! Fletcher's Castoria is a harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages of

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**Spring Season, 1923.**

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CORDS			
30x3 1/2		11.25	1.75
32x4		20.80	2.55
32x4 1/2		21.95	2.65
32x4 3/4		28.00	3.30
33x4 1/2		28.30	3.50
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Oldfield Cord Tires are race tested—holding all of the track records made in the past three years.

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Oldfield Cords are built by one of the largest tire manufacturers, who must maintain the established reputation of these remarkable cords.

Here are the biggest tire and tube values ever offered by anyone. Come in today. Buy your tires now before our stock is exhausted. Purchase from a regular tire dealer, located near you. We stand behind these tires and are ready at all times to give you prompt service.

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**Without A Railroad  
Near by Your  
Property Isn't  
Worth Much**

Mighty few people realize how important the railroads are. They do not realize that the states or communities with no railroads have few people. In South America, where there are few railroads, there are few people, and you can buy the finest and most fertile land in the world for a dollar or two an acre. Railroads bring in people, and more people make land values go up.

The coming of a railroad into a community has always meant prosperity, growth of population and increased property values.

Do not prevent the railroads from rendering good service by crippling them with unjust criticism and too much regulation.

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THE OLD RELIABLE

**A Wish**

"I have taken Cardui for run-down, worn-out condition, nervousness and sleeplessness, and I was weak, too," says Mrs. Silvie Eats, of Jennings, Okla. "Cardui did me just lots of good—so much that I gave it to my daughter. She complained of a soreness in her sides and back. She took three bottles of

**CARDUI**  
The Woman's Tonic

and her condition was much better.

"We have lived here, near Jennings, for 26 years, and now we have our own home in town. I have had to work pretty hard, as this country wasn't built up, and it made it hard for us."

"I wish I could tell weak women of Cardui—the medicine that helped give me the strength to go on and do my work."

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## PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF MAYOR AND CITY ALDERMEN FOR JULY

(Continued from Page One.)

**WATERWORKS BOND FUND.**  
Balance last report, \$14,049.92  
Interest last quarter, 1923 140.79

Credits—  
By warrants to Board, as per list 2,795.14  
Balance 11,394.67

**RECAPITULATION.**

Bond Fund	218.26
City Fund	10,935.69
Colored School Fund	364.97
Municipal Imp.	46,971.30
School Fund	139.08
School Building	677.45
Sinking Fund	5,731.45
Street Fund	409.42
Waterworks Fund	1,139.67
Waterworks bond	11,394.67

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis, Miss., this 1st day of June, 1923.

**MERCHANTS BANK AND TRUST CO.,** City Depository.

By GEO. R. REA, Cashier.

Moved by Alderman Gillum, seconded by Alderman Carver, carried, that the bids of Concrete Pipe Co. be accepted as per advertisement.

Moved by Alderman John Buehler, seconded by Alderman Gillum, and carried, that the bid of Edwards Bros. to furnish cab for Ford truck be accepted as per advertisement.

Bond of W. J. Gallup received and examined, approved, accepted and ordered filed.

Moved by Alderman Buehler, seconded by Alderman Gillum, and carried, that the bond of W. J. Gallup to amount of \$3,000.00 be accepted.

Moved by Alderman John Buehler, seconded by Alderman H. deS. Gillum, and carried, that all estimates approved by Swanson-McGraw, Inc. be returned because of errors appearing therein.

Moved by Alderman John Buehler, seconded by Alderman H. deS. Gillum, and carried, that Swanson-McGraw, Inc. meet with the Board of Mayor and Aldermen and check up work done and payments made before all final estimates are allowed.

By Bay St. Louis, Miss., June 30, 1923.

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen.

At a special election held this 30th day of June, 1923, for School Bond issue, we, the undersigned Commissioners and Clerks of Election, authorized by you to hold said election, do hereby report the following result:

For the Bond issue.....205 votes  
Against the Bond issue.....225 votes  
Spoiled votes.....44

Total votes cast.....474

W. C. BREUFORD,  
PAUL MOLLERS,  
ELMER V. BOURGEOIS,  
Commissioners (2 days each).  
GEO. M. SCHOONMAKER,  
OLGA VON DROZKOWSKY,  
Clerks.  
HAROLD NETTO,  
Peace and Rtg. Officer (2 days).

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We, the undersigned, Board of Bond Commissioners, hereby submit to you the Benefit or Betterment Assessment of the Sea Wall Improvement construction as the same affects the several owners of the real property hereinafter designated.

We further certify that the said Benefits or Betterments, have been accurately and reasonably rated in accordance with the law and facts governing this matter.

The lot numbers hereinafter designated refer to the Plat of the City of Bay St. Louis, made by Leland J. Henderson, or the revisions thereof made by E. S. Drake, the Sea Wall lot numbers refer to the maps made by E. S. Drake, dated February 28th, 1916, filed in the office of the Secretary of the City of Bay St. Louis on November 4th, 1916, and June 4th, 1917, as corrected by E. S. Drake and filed with said Secretary.

Name	Ward	District	Type	Lot	Assessment
S. W. Labrot, Lots 122, 123	4	1	B	306.9	\$2,065.38
Wilhelmina Gordon, Lots B110, B120	4	1	B	144.4	996.93
E. C. Day, Lots A119, A120	4	1	B	133.7	931.78
Madeline & Joseph Bokenfohr, Lots 111, 112, 113, 114, 117, 118	4	1	B	386.7	2,698.68
Charlotte H. Eastman, Lots 109, 110	4	1	B	206.2	1,431.71
James M. Smith, Lots 106, 107	4	1	B	189.9	1,326.73
Paul Capdeville Estate, Lots 103, 104	4	1	B	201.4	1,422.44
P. V. Capdeville, Lots 98, 99	4	1	B	220.6	1,508.16
Denise Annand, Lots 100, 101	4	1	B	237.2	1,534.17
Edna H. Stewart, Lots 95, 96	4	1	B	1,134.24	
Mrs. Edith L. Ballard, Lots 91, 92	1	6&7	B	138.1	936.58
Ernest R. Goetz, Lots 12, 13	1	6&7	B	139.3	982.20
William B. Ross, Inc., that part of Lots 26 and 27 lying north of Burnett Street	1	6&7	B	145.2	984.68
R. H. Lempert, Lots 28, 29	1	6&7	B	139.3	982.20
27 lying south of Burnett Street	1	6&7	B	145.2	984.68
Mrs. R. H. Lempert, Lots A28, A29	1	6&7	B	75.3	491.08
Mrs. Florence E. Sweeney, Lots B28, B29	1	6&7	B	114.9	735.74
Mrs. Elizabeth V. Grace, Lots 87, 88	1	6&7	B	16.7	104.87
Geo. C. Earle, Lots 60D and 60, less 16.67 ft strip off south side	1	6&7	B	23.3	145.63
Jesse L. Coward, strip 16.67 ft wide off south side Lot 60	1	6&7	B	120.5	738.10
Corbin L. Gleason, Lots 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100	1	6&7	B	81.9	510.84
Corbin L. Gleason, Lot 69 1/2, less 23.33 ft strip off north side, Lots 70, 71 and that part of 72 and 32 adjacent to Front Street	1	6&7	B	94.0	505.64
Mrs. C. J. Fusch, parts of Lots 72 and 83, as described in Deed Record Book No. 4, pages 273-275	1	6&7	B	204.8	1,385.01
Mrs. A. O'Hara, parts of Lots 72 and 83, as described in Deed Record Book No. 4, pages 273-275	1	6&7	B	122.1	1,000.75
Mrs. J. H. Goggin, parts of Lots 72 and 83, as described in Deed Record Book No. 4, pages 273-275	1	6&7	B	122.9	1,019.55
Mrs. Mary T. Cocks, Lots 84 and 85, less strip 6 1/2 ft wide on north side	1	6&7	C	124.4	1,038.92
Mrs. Margaret S. Milam, Lots 106, 107	1	6&7	C	91.8	761.16
Ernest R. Goetz, Lots 12, 13	1	6&7	C	237.0	1,589.40
Mrs. A. P. Roberts, Lots 40, 41	1	6&7	C	95.3	776.94
Mrs. Alice E. Pitcher, Lots 330, 331	1	6&7	C	71.7	577.00
Mrs. Katherine M. Glering, Lots 332, 333	1	6&7	C	81.5	655.52
Mrs. J. H. Goggin, Lots 334, 335	1	6&7	C	81.5	655.52
C. C. McDonald, Lots 331, 332	1	6&7	C	81.5	655.52
Jos. Labat Estate, Lots 333, 334	1	6&7	C	81.5	655.52
Mrs. S. A. Williams, Lots 335, 336	1	6&7	C	81.5	655.52
L. O. L. J. & J. B. Parnas, Lots 337, 338	1	6&7	C	81.5	655.52

The foregoing does not include any benefit or betterment assessment against the City of Bay St. Louis, for telephone and electric light poles and lines, as the respective amounts of these assessments have not yet been determined.

Respectfully submitted,

By GUS E. TEMPLET, Acting Chairman.

R. W. LADNER, Secretary.

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The report and list of assessments of betterments as made by the Bond Commission for the purpose of constructing sea wall protection of and for the property described in said report, which has heretofore been received, and on motion of Alderman John Buehler, seconded by Alderman L. C. Carver, and carried, that said assessment of benefits be received and filed and entered on the minutes and that said assessments of benefits or betterments be published for two weeks previous to the regular August meeting, and that said publication give notice of the hearing, if any, and all objections to the said assessments to be heard at the next regular meeting, August 4th, 1923, to which date the approval, amendments or rejection thereof is hereby continued:

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1	6&7	B	16.7		104.87
1	6&7	B	23.3		145.63
1	6&7	B	120.5		738.10
1	6&7	B	81.9		510.84
1	6&7	B	94.0		505.64
1	6&7	B	124.0		650.73
1	6&7	B	124.0		754.14
1	6&7	B	250.0		1,613.17
1	6&7	B	156.5		1,003.21
1	6&7	B	204.8		1,385.01
1	6&7	B	122.1		1,000.75
1	6&7	C	122.9		1,019.55
1	6&7	C	124.4		1,038.92
1	6&7	C	91.8		761.16
1	6&7	C	237.0		1,589.40
1	6&7	C	95.3		776.94
1	6&7	C	77.8		492.14
1	6&7	C	71.7		577.00
1	6&7	C	81.3		655.52
left or betterment assessment against					
and Telegraph Co. for telephone and					
amounts of these assessments have not					

# POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

## FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION.

T. E. KELLAR

## FOR CLERK OF THE COURTS.

S. VAN WHITFIELD

## FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR.

J. C. JONES

## FOR SUPERVISOR—DIST. NO. 1.

H. S. WESTON

## FOR SUPERVISOR—DIST. NO. 2.

J. B. WHEAT

## FOR SUPERVISOR—DIST. NO. 3.

J. N. KELLAR

## FOR SUPERVISOR—DIST. NO. 4.

FRED CURET

## FOR SUPERVISOR—DIST. NO. 5.

JOSEPH L. FAYRE

## FOR SUPERVISOR—DIST. NO. 6.

VINCENT P. MORAN

## FOR SUPERVISOR—DIST. NO. 7.

JEROME CUEVAS

## CITY ECHOES.

Ladies' Red and Blue Sandals, special at \$3.95 and \$5.50. Famous Store, opposite L. & N. depot.

Miss Inez Francis came out from New Orleans last week and spent a few days at the Bay as the guest of Mrs. H. F. Mattox, on Main street.

A truck ride and watermelon party has been arranged for next Monday evening when the D. F. Club will entertain their visiting friends.

Mrs. Mary Conn and daughters, Hilda, Flora and Christine, of Meridian, Miss., are guests of Miss Short in Main street.

Misses Mae Miller and Lois Mitchell were guests of Mrs. Eugene Davis, in Carroll avenue during the Baptist encampment.

Mrs. T. V. Holleman, with Masters Herman Holleman and Justin Marguey, of Logtown, Miss., spent the past week with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Joyner, in Main street.

Mr. H. F. Mattox leaves tonight for Atlanta, Ga., to spend the balance of the summer with his daughters, Mrs. (Dr.) Clinton Reed, Mrs. Lorena Peacock and Mrs. John Harris.

Miss Amelia Deacon is entertaining two very charming young ladies at her home in Carroll avenue, in the persons of Misses Essie Deacon and Odessa Ord, of New Orleans.

The young ladies are delighted with the Bay and hope to prolong their stay throughout the summer.

Men's Blue Work Shirts, special 69c. Famous Store.

The day of the long pier and expensive bath house, apparently is a thing of the past. Bathing does not relish the long walk out and the same to return home. This plan removes the ugly sight of years gone by when innumerable bath houses of questionable appearance dotted the lake front. Here's hoping that day will never return.

Men's Work Pants, \$1.25. Famous Store.

No. 1 white cotton, special at 15c yard. No. 1 yellow cotton, special at 15c yard. Famous Store, opposite L. & N. depot.

Our annual regatta is the one big event of the season and attracts many visitors. Thanks to the Bay-W. C. stands for a whole lot in this community and while its success is assured and its popularity not to be questioned, there ought to be a larger membership locally. Its officers and various committees stand for the best thought and effort in Bay St. Louis. If you are already a member, then get another member.

Our new waterworks system will positively prove a contributory force to "Bay St. Louis the Beautiful" inasmuch there will be ample and sufficient force of water to irrigate our lawns and innumerable floral patios over the city that suffer so much for adequate supply of moisture. It is hoped for this use and purpose the city will not place too much of a premium on the supply of water. Considerably does the growth and future of Bay St. Louis depend on its beauty along various lines. We must clean up and beautify.

Men's Dress Shoes, \$2.95 and up. Famous Store.

Men's Large Straw Hats, 49c. Genuine Army Shoes, \$3.95. Famous Store.

It might be well for property owners and others concerned to clip from the columns of The Echo the ordinance now appearing regarding the rules and regulations governing the local waterworks system. There is considerable to familiarize one's self with and in this wise the matter would be very simple. Of course, it must be understood, unlike under the regime of private ownership, rules and regulations will be rigidly enforced and adhered to, making it all the more necessary why one should become acquainted. The community is blessed indeed that has such a liberal supply of water and of such pure quality as Bay St. Louis. These things are too little realized and not appreciated until one goes away from home, when the contrast is sharp and one is made to feel.

Here's hoping the day is not far distant when Bay St. Louis will have a great municipal pier, with ornate and commodious bath rooms, rest rooms, etc., especially since Bay St. Louis is pre-eminently a summer and winter resort. St. Petersburg, Fla., a mere fishing village a decade or years since, dates its unprecedented growth not only from that time hotels were built there, but from the time the great municipal pier was constructed. Dear reader, when you visit the great harbor of the Florida coast—and let us hope you will come day—you will be impressed with the municipal pier. The same exists at Santa Monica, Venice and other successful points on the Pacific Coast. And Mr. Mayor, when we are going to have that public and free automobile camp for tourists?

# A. & C. THEATRE PROGRAM.

## Attractions Coming for Next Week.

MONDAY, JULY 16:

Mabel Ballin in "Vanity Fair" and Baby Peggy in comedy.

TUESDAY, JULY 17:

Rodolph Valentino in "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" and comedy.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18:

William Russell in "Men of Zanzibar" Fox News and comedy.

THURSDAY, JULY 19:

Richard Barthelmess in "The Bond Boy" and Fox News and comedy.

FRIDAY, JULY 20:

Mary Miles Minter in "Drums of Fate" and Leather Pushers.

SATURDAY, JULY 21:

Jack Holt in "While Satan Sleeps" and Sunshine comedy.

You want competency. Vote for H. D. (Hideo) Cudabac for State Treasurer. Clean, trained, Capable.

## LIKE THE LOCUSTS OF EGYPT.

Representative Underhill, of Massachusetts, in a recent article entitled "The Hole in the Nation's Pocket," furnishes a picture of the growth of bureaucracy within our government that is contributing heavily to the burden of taxation. He takes the Federal Trade Commission as an example. It was established in 1914 with a \$75,000 appropriation, and up to 1922 cost the taxpayers \$8,000,000.

This is merely one of the many instances cited by Representative Underhill showing how bureaucracy is spawning at the national capital and as the Union, published at Belle Plaine, Iowa, says, "eating into the pockets of the taxpayers and depending upon business like the plague of locusts in Egypt."

Representative Underhill says: "The minute one of the thousands of ideas for new regulatory legislation of some sort gets on the statute books, the infant organization created for carrying it out immediately starts to grow. Elaborated ideas bud from the parent trunk in every direction and rapidly become widespread branches. The roots strike deep into the public treasury to draw the nourishment that must go throughout the whole organism to the last little job-holder on the farthest little twig."

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Pickin' on the Irish Again.

An Irishman coming out of 'ether in the ward after an operation exclaimed audibly:

"Thank God that's over!"

"Don't be too sure," said the man in the next bed. "They left a sponge in me and had to cut me open again."

And the patient on the other side said, "Why, they had to open me, too, to find one of their instruments."

Just then the surgeon who had operated on the Irishman stuck his head in the door and yelled, "Has anybody seen my hat?"

Pat faints.

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One Velie touring car. Can be seen at A. E. Mill Garage, Washington st., etc.

FORD SEDAN.

Latest type, two-door body, looks like new, in excellent mechanical condition, new tires, Hossler shock absorbers and DeSoto wheel. Price \$500.00. Phone 287.

FOR SALE.

Ford runabout, in good condition. B. Monteleone.

# STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF

MERCHANTS BANK AND TRUST CO., located at the corner of Bay and Main streets, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, at the close of business June 30, 1923, made to the Board of Directors.

## RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts \$807,274.11

Overdrafts (Hancock County) 109.50

United States Bonds, Certificates of Indebtedness and War Savings Bonds 11,500.00

Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc. 81,100.00

Guaranty Fund with State Treasurer 2,600.00

Banking House and Lot 8,000.00

Furniture and Fixtures 4,320.00

Due from other banks—commercial or reserve funds 46,860.00

Exchange and Checks for next day's clearing 9,440.22

Currency 14,877.00

Gold Coin 335.00

Silver Coin, Nickels and Cents 497.72

All other items of Resource 20.94

Suspense

Total \$884,964.63

## LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock \$35,000.00

Surplus 45,000.00

Undivided Profits, less amount paid for interest, taxes and other expenses 2,172.43

Dividends 5,250.00

Individual Deposits subject to check 290,956.98

Savings Deposits 181,269.74

Time Certificates of Deposit 114,988.35

Cashier's Checks 6,629.20

Bills Payable 14,000.00

Total \$884,964.63

J. GEO. R. REA, Cashier, do solemnly swear that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of Merchants Bank and Trust Co., located at Bay and Main streets, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, at the close of business June 30, 1923, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:

J. GEO. R. REA, Cashier.

JOHN J. MURPHY, Director.

CHAS. C. MORRIS, Directors.

Sworn to and subscribed before me by Geo. R. Rea, Cashier, this 12th day of July, 1923.

J. A. BREATH, J. P. and Ex-Officio Not. Pub.

My commission expires Jan. 1, 1924.

## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

One artesian water well to flow not less than 500 gallons of water per minute and be not less than 600 feet deep and said well to be located in the northern part of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and to be placed on the property of the City as near the reservoir as possible. The well is to be constructed of iron pipe, including cut off valve and pipe between well and reservoir and to run same into the reservoir.

The Board has the right to reject any and all bids.

S. J. LADNER, Secretary.

Bay St. Louis, Miss., July 7, 1923.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS FOR CITY WORK.

Contract for laying 18 inch storm sewer pipe—The Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, will receive bids up to and until 2 o'clock p. m. August 4th, 1923, at the City Hall for laying approximately 1,000 feet of 18 inch storm sewer pipe on Washington street, under the direction of the Street Commissioner. Also three manholes and standard size.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

S. J. LADNER, Secretary.

Bay St. Louis, Miss., July 7, 1923.

### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

To the Tax Payers of Hancock County, State of Mississippi:

You will please take notice that the assessments of real and personal property on the rolls for the year 1923, as made and corrected by the Board as to comply with the laws of this State, and that said revised rolls are now open for examination and that any objection to any assessment be made in writing and filed with the Clerk of this Board on or before the first Monday of August, 1923, at his office in the City of Bay St. Louis, said county and State, and that any or all assessments to which no objection is made and there made will be final.

The Board of Supervisors of said County.

By A. Clerk of the Board.

### ORDINANCE NO. 88.

AN ORDINANCE providing for the control of the Waterworks of the City of Bay St. Louis, keeping of waterwork records, creating the office of Superintendent of Waterworks, term of office and defining duties of Superintendent of Waterworks and authorizing the Board of Mayor and Aldermen to employ a Superintendent of Waterworks by an order on the minutes.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis, that the waterwork system shall be under the control and management of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen and such committees, agents, officers and employees as the Board of Mayor and Aldermen may designate, appoint and employ.

Section 2. That there shall be kept a separate record or book known as the "WATERWORK SERVICE RECORD," showing all necessary matters pertaining to the waterwork system, including: Name of subscriber or renter; the location and number of the property, the date installed or connected; the rate of the service; the kind of service; the meter and its date and due, and all other things deemed necessary by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

Section 3. There shall be a Superintendent of Waterworks, whose duties shall be to maintain, care for, repair and in every way operate and maintain the entire waterwork system of the City in a first class condition and to collect all water rent, which shall be deposited with the City Depository. He shall receive his orders from the Board of Mayor and Aldermen or from the Mayor and the Chairman of the Sewerage and Waterwork Committee jointly in writing, during vacation of the Board.

Section 4. The Superintendent shall deposit his entire time and attention to the City Waterwork System, and shall not be interested in any other work of contract, directly or indirectly, and shall give bond approved by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen in a sum of not less than three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars for faithful performance of duties.

Section 5. The Superintendent shall be appointed for such time as may be designated by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, but for a period not longer than one year, and he shall give bond approved by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen in a sum of not less than three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars for faithful performance of duties.

Section 6. The Superintendent of Waterworks shall receive such salary as the Board of Mayor and Aldermen may fix from time to time by an order on the minutes.

Section 7. The Superintendent of the Waterworks shall make monthly report to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, showing amount of new connections made, amount disconnected, names and locations of all patrons connected or disconnected to or from the waterwork system, work done, tools and material on hand, and money collected, and all other things as the Board of Mayor and Aldermen may require.

Section 8. All water rate service, rental or charge, set by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and all temporary rates fixed by the Superintendent shall be subject to change or revision by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

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Section 10. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Attest: S. J. LADNER, Secretary.

### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF THE FILING OF THE COUNTY ASSESSMENT ROLLS.

I have this day filed with the Clerk of the Chancery Court the assessment rolls of real and personal property for the year 1923.

The Board of Supervisors will on Monday, July 23rd, commence receiving and examining the assessment rolls and at their August meeting will hear any and all objections thereto.

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Bay St. Louis, Miss., July 27, 1923.

# LEADING CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

WILL ADDRESS THE CITIZENS OF HANCOCK COUNTY AT

KILN, Monday, July 16th, 12:00 P. M.

BAY ST. LOUIS, Monday, July 16th, 3:00 P. M.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY HOLDERS OF A SEA WALL ASSESSMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the ASSESSMENT OF BENEFITS OR BETTERMENTS AGAINST THIS PROPERTY HERINAFTER DESCRIBED is to be considered, amended, approved or rejected by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, at 2 o'clock P. M., Saturday, August 4th, 1923, which assessments were filed by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.

We, the undersigned, Board of Board Commissioners, hereby submit to you the Benefit, or Betterment Assessment of the Sea Wall Improvement construction as the same affects the several owners of the real property hereinafter designated.

We further certify that the said Benefits, or Betterments, have been accurately and reasonably priced in accordance with the law and facts governing this matter.

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